

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Forest Department- Diversion of 4.77 ha. forest land in Yellandu RF of Kothagudem Forest Division, Khammam District for renewal of lease for Centenary Incline in favour M/s. Singareni Collieries Company Limited - Permission accorded- Orders issued.

ENVIRONMENT FOREST SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (FOR.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 171

Dated:31-12-2008

Read the following:-

1. From Prl.CCF. Hyd.Lr.No. 54325/2007-F1, Dt. 2-2-2008.
2. State Government letter No. 1028/For.I (1)/2008-1, Dated: 22-2-2008.
- 3 .From GOI, MoEF,Bangalore, Lr. F (C) A/11.2/54/AP/MIN/3167, dt. 4-11-2008.

ORDER:

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Hyderabad in his letter 1st read above had submitted a proposal under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, for diversion of 4.77 ha. forest land in Compartment No.49 of Yellandu Reserve Forest, Kothagudem Forest Division for Renewal of Mining Lease for Centenary Incline in favour of M/s.Singareni Collieries Company Limited and requested to send the same to Government of India, Ministry of Environment & Forests for their approval under Section-2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

2. The said proposal has been sent to Government of India for their approval under Forest (C) Act, 1980 vide State Government letter 2nd read above. The Government of India in their letter 3rd read above have accorded their approval under Section-2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, for renewal of lease of forest land over an extent of 4.77 ha. of forest land in Compartment No.49 of Yellandu RF, Kothagudem Forest Division, Khammam District for Centenary Incline in favour of M/s. Singareni Collieries Company Limited for a period with effect from 10-9-2008 to 31-12-2014 subject to certain conditions.

3. The Government after consideration of the proposal, hereby accord permission to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Hyderabad for diversion of 4.77 ha. forest land in Compartment No.49 of Yellandu Reserve Forest, Kothagudem Forest Division for Renewal of Mining Lease for Centenary Incline in favour of M/s.Singareni Collieries Company Limited for a period with effect from 10-9-2008 to 31-12-2014 subject to the following conditions:

1. The legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged.
2. The funds received from the user agency towards Net Present Value under this project shall be deposited to Ad-hoc CAMPA in account number CA-1578 of Corporation Bank, Block-II, CGO Complex, Phase-1, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110 003.
3. The additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land if any, due as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 28.03.2008 and 9-5-2008 in IA Nos.826 in 566 with related IA's in W.P.(Civil)No.202/1995 shall be realized from the user agency and transferred to Ad-hoc CAMPA in account Number CA 1578 of Corporation Bank, Block-II, CGO Complex, Phase-I, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110 003 under intimation to GOI.

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4. The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 4.77 and it shall be used only for the purpose for which it is diverted. In case the land is not used for the stipulated purpose or when it is no longer needed for the said purpose, then the area will be resumed by the Forest Department.

4. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Hyderabad is directed to take further necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

JANAKI R. KONDAPI,
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,
Hyderabad.
Copy to: M/s. Singareni Collieries Company Limited,
Hyderabad.

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER